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GERMANY BEGINS NEW SUBMARINE WAR PROMPTLY

Two British Merchantmen Torpedoed Early Today

(Special to The Herald)
London, March 1.—Germany's new submarine war against British shipping as threatened in the warning note to the United States government was opened on scheduled time. The German's sea offensive against the British was set to go into effect at midnight and by noon word had been received of the torpedoing of two merchantmen. They were the Thornaby, 1,682 tons, and the Malvin, 1,241 tons. It is announced that all members of the crew

of the former were killed by the attack or drowned. The dispatch which reported the destruction of the Malvin off Scotch coast, did not mention the fate of the crew. News of the sinking of the ships aroused the greatest anxiety in shipping circles and insurance rates were immediately raised. It is believed that there are at least a score of German submarines in the waters around the British Isles. The line of hostile underwater craft extending all the way from the Atlantic to the North Sea.

MONTREAL STATION DESTROYED

Bonaventure Terminal of the Grand Trunk R. R. Burned With Loss of \$30,000.

(Special to The Herald)
Montreal, March 1.—Fire destroyed the Bonaventure station of the Grand Trunk railroad here today. The station was completely wrecked. Only the exterior walls are left standing. The loss is set at \$30,000. The blaze originated in the wiring of the fire room located in the highest tower of the station.

N. Y., N. H. & H. RECEIVES \$1,050,000

Suit Against John Billard and Others Is Settled.

(Special to The Herald)
New York, March 1.—The suit of the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad against John Billard and others has been settled and withdrawn from court. The amount received by the New York, New Haven and Hartford was \$1,050,000.

JUMPED TO HIS DEATH

Wealthy Real Estate Owner of Fall River Commits Suicide.

(Special to The Herald)
Fall River, March 1.—Thomas Lewis, a wealthy real estate owner of this city jumped from the third story of the Moltan hotel here this morning after escaping from an attendant, and was dashed to death on the pavement below. He had been under treatment for some time for nervous disorder.

CONGRESS WILL SUPPORT WILSON

House Foreign Affairs Committee Will Prepare Resolution Endorsing President's Stand

(Special to The Herald)
Washington, March 1.—President Wilson's hands will be supported by congress, even men who believe that a resolution "should" pass congress calling upon Americans to stay off armed ships during the present stage of the war, will not put themselves in a position of repudiating the position assumed by the President, which he says is "adequate" necessary to maintain the nation's honor. The House Foreign Affairs Committee will prepare a resolution today endorsing the President's position. It will be reported under a special rule which will permit its immediate consideration. I am certain such a resolution will be passed.

Following a conference, Representative Henry Flood of Virginia, chairman of the House Foreign Affairs Committee made the above statement. The conference was participated in by Flood, and Senators Stone and Kern. At the end of it, Speaker Clark and Leader Kitchins were sent for on suggestion of the two senators and Representative Flood. They were asked to aid the program and were expected to do so. It is expected that as soon as the house acts on the proposition it will be pushed through the senate. The conference today was sensational. President Wilson informed the leaders that the policy of the government was most seriously menaced.

ROCKINGHAM COUNTY FARMERS UNITE

Hold a Meeting at Exeter Town Hall For Purpose of Organization

The agency movement in agriculture for Rockingham county which is being promoted by the state college, was made possible Tuesday morning by generous contributions, the largest being from Walter D. Farmer of Hampton Falls, who gave \$200.

About 60 leading farmers of Rockingham county assembled at the Exeter town hall on Tuesday and all appeared enthusiastic for the procuring of an agent. About \$300 was collected by the different committees which have been working in each town in the county, during the past two weeks since the last meeting, and more pledged so that the necessary amount is assured.

J. C. Kendall of the New Hampshire college outlined the plan and stated that the agency movement was in hopes to have an appropriation of \$1,200 at the county convention at the next legislature. Nearly all of the towns in Rockingham county were represented by at least one member today and the collectors stated that they were confident that double the amount collected could be raised after a more extensive campaign.

Mr. Kendall is of the opinion that Rockingham county will have a flourishing agency, from the fact that only two meetings have been held, and thus far the matter has not been considered in the granges, nor have special meetings been held to explain the movement.

Walter D. Farmer of Hampton Falls, who gave the \$200, was made president of the association, and he made a few brief remarks in which he stated that he will give his time and efforts for the success. Mr. Farmer is one of the leading farmers in his town, and also in this section, having one of the largest poultry plants in New England. At the meeting today George B. Shaw of Kensington presided, and an organization was completed shortly after the noon hour with the following officers: President, Walter D. Farmer, Hampton Falls; first vice president, N. H. Ranney, Derry; second vice president, Charles W. Barker, Exeter; third vice president, Wilbur H. White, Deerfield; secretary, Dr. George B. Hyde, West Kingston; treasurer, Alden P. Sanborn, Portsmouth; executive committee, Shiner Prink, Portsmouth; George B. Shaw, Kensington; Everett Poor, Atkinson; John Walker, Newmarket; Charles H. Irackett, Greenland. The executive members who from each town were, Atkinson, Everett Poor; Auburn, George Griffin; Brentwood, John Lake; Candia, Arthur Stone; Chester, George E. O'Hanlon; Danville, Alfred Sargent; East Kingston, Dr. George B. Hyde; Hopkinton, D. Watson Ladd; Exeter, Charles W. Barker; Greenland, Alden P. Sanborn; Greenland, Charles H. Brackett; Hampton, A. J. Wil-



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OPENING NIGHT BIG AT THE MOOSE CARNIVAL

With a large number present all the evening the three day's Carnival and fair of Portsmouth Lodge, Loyal Order of Moose, opened in Freeman's hall Tuesday evening, everything pointing to its complete success. The hall was finely decorated from floor to ceiling with flags and bunting and the appearance was striking. The booths were set about the floor, close to the walls, allowing a good floor space for dancing, which started at 10:00 o'clock and lasted until the doors were closed for the evening, more than 100 couples remaining until the last waltz was played.

The booths were a distinct novelty, having the appearance of house or store fronts, and contained articles of great variety. Among them were teddy bears, dolls, blankets, cakes, toilet articles, funny goods, umbrellas, a quick lunch booth, and others. All of the booths were busy most of the evening and a good financial return was secured. One of the most novel booths was that of the umbrellas, built in a fashion of a fortress and was marked "Fort Moose, Preparedness." This was in charge of one of the younger members costumed as Uncle Sam, and he did a rushing business, only the teddy bear and candy booths giving him any close contest.

In the early evening an entertainment program was presented and included several numbers finely rendered by the Lyric Quartet, all of which were fully appreciated, and an exhibition by Nixon, "The Handkerchief King." The orchestra, under the direction of Mrs. Clara Wentworth Marden, played a fine concert program from 8:00 until 10:00 o'clock, when dancing started.

The carnival and fair is under the direction of these two committees: Carnival Committee—Charles Gause, chairman; P. T. Harrison, Secretary; W. M. Smart, Treasurer; General Committee—T. A. Smart, J. P. McCaffery, W. H. Lear, E. M. Walker, H. J. Cragen, L. J. Flynn, P. Daly, A. L. McCaffery, J. P. Boyer, T. W. Gibbons, B. H. Tilton, R. C. Moulton.

CONFINED CHIEFLY TO ARTILLERY ENGAGEMENTS

(Special to The Herald)
Paris, March 1.—Military activities north of Verdun in the Weverie region were confined chiefly to artillery engagements during the night, according to a statement from the war office today.

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TANK STEAMER CALLS S. O. S.

British Steamer San Onofre Drifting Helpless in the Atlantic.

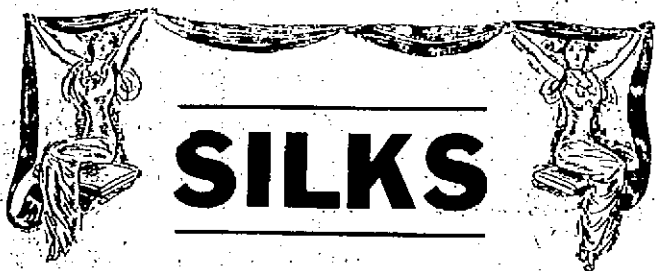
(Special to The Herald)
Halifax, March 1.—The British steamer San Onofre drifting helplessly in the Atlantic today sent out wireless calls for assistance. The S. O. S. messages were picked up by the British steamer Aschubahn which reported to the Marine and British Agency here that it was proceeding to the assistance of the San Onofre but would not be able to reach that vessel before Thursday morning. Shortly afterward the Aschubahn reported that the messages from the San Onofre had ceased. The San Onofre is a tank steamer of 9,717 tons and is owned by the Eagle Transport Company, Ltd. It sails from London but has recently been to South America.

Read the Want Ads.

HENRY SIEGEL REARRESTED

Fresh Charges Against Him Are Based Upon Eleven Indictments.

(Special to The Herald)
Rochester, N. Y., March 1.—Henry Siegel, former millionaire merchant of New York, who has just completed a prison term for grand larceny in connection with the falling of his chain of department stores, was rearrested as he stepped from the Monroe county penitentiary today. The fresh charges against him are based upon eleven indictments which were found against him at the time of the failure of his stores. He faced his arrest coolly, saying that he had been assured that he would not be prosecuted at the conclusion of his prison term. "All I want is a chance to pay my debts," he said. "I would pay all, if I am given a chance to work and earn some money." Siegel entered the penitentiary on June 23 of last year.



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REPORT BLOW-UP DUE TO ACCIDENT

Explosion at the War Chemical Works Occurred During Mixing of Materials of Uneven Temperatures, Officials Say

Boston, Feb. 29.—Despite the belief of many that the explosion at the New England Manufacturing Company's plant this morning was due to a plot, indications, gleaned from the meagre statements of company officials, were that an accident caused the explosion in the trinitrotoluol building where high explosives are manufactured for the allies. The explosion caused a property loss of about \$50,000, injured one man, destroyed one building and partially wrecked another and shook the countryside within a radius of 25 miles. The explosion started a fire, which was still burning this forenoon, but was held from advancing on other combustible property which surrounded it on all sides, by a wall of water.

On the basis of the first explanations of the accident as officially discussed,

It seemed unlikely that any hostile outside agency could have been concerned.

Two Theories as to Cause

One theory was that two chemicals, which do not mix, were mixed in an inequality in temperature, and another was that pipes through which water was circulated about a vat to keep the contents of the latter at a required temperature became frozen, allowing the chemicals to reach too high a temperature.

The theory of an outside agency fighting in the affair would depend upon whether it would be possible for such an agency to bring about conditions within that plant that would result in the conditions that are now held responsible.

State Chemist Walter Wedger will begin an investigation at once.

of Good Templars will be held this evening.

The Ladies' Circle will meet on Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Howard C. Moody of Otis avenue.

E. E. Lamoureux has returned from a week's visit at his home in Manchester, N. H., and has resumed his duties on the navy yard.

Master John Stanley of Dame street, who has been quite ill with measles, is much improved.

Considerable controversy has recently arisen concerning the needs of the Wentworth and Deane schools. It would be of interest to all citizens of the town, and especially those having children, to hear the town officials' side of the story—their opinion concerning the needs of these two schools. Can we not have a communication from them in the near future?

The banquet to be held at the Second Methodist church on Thursday evening will begin at 6.30 instead of 6 o'clock as previously planned, and the reception will commence at 6 instead of 6 o'clock.

Miss Mildred Gerrish of Prine's Crossing, Mass., is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Gerrish of Gerrish court.

Let Gunnison repair your motor and your troubles are over. Cattle's wharf, Kittery.

SEN. GALLINGER CARRIED POINT

Tied Up Senate and Balks Democratic Adjournment Project.

Washington, March 1.—Senator Gallinger executed a coup in the senate late Tuesday afternoon and tied that body up for nearly an hour. By making a point of no quorum when the Democrats had everything fixed to recess at 5.30 until 11 o'clock tomorrow. The New Hampshire senator forced the sergeant-at-arms to go scurrying all over Washington for senators who had gone home and bring them back to the chamber.

The point Senator Gallinger made was that the Democrats were attempting high handed methods in putting forward the hour of meeting from noon to 11 o'clock, and that if they desired to do that they should have consulted with the Republicans to see whether it was convenient.

In place of the move to recess, he moved to adjourn, which automatically fixes the hour of reconvening at 12 o'clock. It also would have opened the way for Senator Gore to call up his resolution to warn Americans to shun armed merchant ships, which he is precluded from doing, so long as the senate recesses from day to day.

After an hour's wait a quorum was obtained and Gallinger agreed to recess until noon, thereby winning a parliamentary victory.

GREENLAND

Miss Gladys Moulton is visiting friends in Philadelphia.

The Woman's Home Missionary Society meets with Mrs. George Lord tomorrow afternoon.

The funeral services of Mrs. W. C. Parker, who died on Thursday, were held at her late residence on Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Ruth Arthur is visiting her sisters Mrs. Samuel Hatch and Mrs. Harry Sparks in Somerville.

Franklin Moody of New Hampshire college has been spending a few days with his parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Tyler of Malden, Mass., are the guests of John P. Weeks and daughters of Riverside.

Miss Rebecca Berry of Arlington has been spending the mid-winter school vacation with her mother, Mrs. Caroline Berry.

ELIOT

Martin Frost, was a visitor in Portsmouth Saturday.

Several boys from the high school attended the debate between Portsmouth high and Brewster academy on Friday night.

Mr. Freeman of So. Berwick, was a business visitor in Eliot on Monday.

The schools in Eliot will close March 10, for the usual "Easter" vacation.

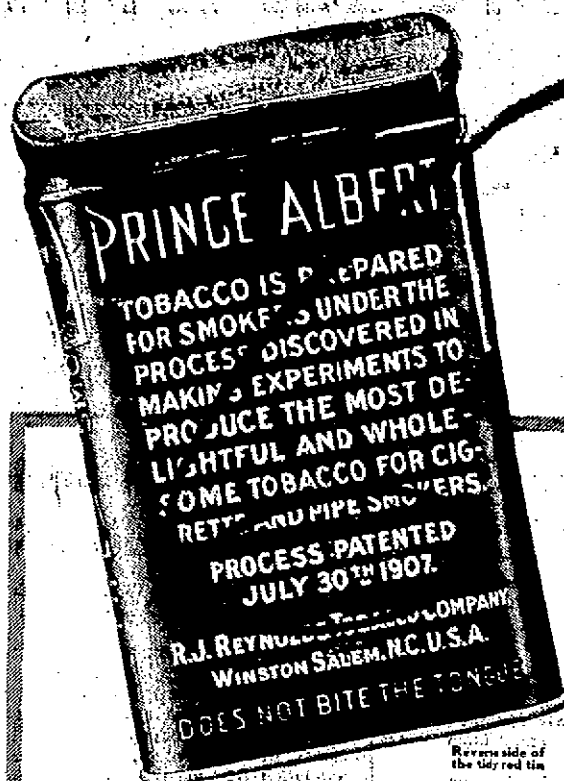
The Epworth League will hold its regular mid-week meeting in Epworth hall tomorrow night. Subject: "The Gold of God." Leader Mrs. Alma Cole. There will be a business meeting afterwards.

The senior class of Eliot high school will repeat their farce, "The Living Magazine," at Trapp Academy hall, Kittery, Friday evening, March 3, for the benefit of the Senior class of the academy.

The teachers of the town are planning to attend the York County convention to be held at Sanford, March 10th.

MAJ.-GEN. SCOTT SITS AS CABINET MEMBER

Washington, March 1.—Major-General L. Scott, secretary of war at interim, attended Tuesday's cabinet meeting, and the White House historians said it was the first time since the civil war that an army officer had sat at the cabinet table.



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FREIGHT BAN IS EXTENDED

Further Embargoes on Certain Classes of Freight Made by N. Y., N. H. and H. R. R.

New York, March 1.—Further freight embargoes were announced here Monday night by the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad. This action was taken, it was said, because of the accumulation of freight on the road's lines faster than it can be unloaded.

The new order, effective at midnight tonight, is against spelter, copper, pig iron, iron or steel construction material, cement wall plaster, stone, lime, brick, lumber, terra cotta and tile from all New York city points, and from Boston; also against all freight for lighters in New York harbor, and against all shipments to the Merchants and Miners Transportation Company at Providence and Boston. The embargoes are not applicable to local business between points on the New Haven, except for the goods mentioned.

Livestock, perishable freight food-stuffs for human consumption, feed for livestock, news print paper for domestic use, charcoal fuel, oil, and gasoline in tank cars are excepted from the order.

KITTERY POINT

Mrs. Thirion Patch returned to her home on Tuesday afternoon after a few days' visit with relatives in Boston and vicinity.

The cottage prayer meeting connected with the Forward Movement of this place will meet on Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. William Tobey.

Charles Collins is soon to move his family from the Creek road, into the house of James Manson on the Harbor road.

Miss Ruth Lawry is able to resume her duties at Trapp Academy after an illness.

Rev. John H. Magriddle who has been restricted to his home by rheumatism, has so far recovered as to be able to officiate at the funeral service of Mrs. Eleanor Lambert.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. William Emery of Poy's Lane, still remains critically ill.

The Ladies' Aid of the Free Baptist church was pleasantly entertained by Mrs. Eliza Gray this afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Colby and son Raymond of North Kittery are passing a few days with the latter's sister, Mrs. Ralph Seaward of the Harbor road.

The store of V. H. Goodwin, which has been remodeled into a dwelling house by Contractor J. A. Phillips is now completed and Silas E. Woodbury is moving his family from the house of Postmaster E. W. Prishoe today.

The Ladies' Aid of the First Christian church will meet at the home of Mrs. Clarence Drew this evening. It

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KITTERY

Miss Irene Langdon of Central street is improved from her recent illness.

The Palatine Club will meet this evening with Mrs. Ralph Cobb of Manson avenue.

Mrs. Leroy Towle of Steep Falls, Me., is visiting Mrs. J. Harold Chalk of the Junction.

On Friday evening the students of Eliot high school will present their play "A Case of Suspicion" at Trapp academy hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Picott and daughter Thelma of North Kittery are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Howard Blaney of Prince avenue.

Mrs. Jennie Hayes of Whipple road has been called to New York by the serious illness of her sister, Mrs. Emily Becket.

Regular meeting of Whipple Lodge

STRIKES AND SPARES

Commercial League
In the Commercial League game at the Arcade Alley last evening Clark's Branch defeated the No. 9s, taking three points. The game was close, the second string being lost by six pins and the third won by two. For the winners, Paul rolled high with a total of 230. Pitrold rolled 263 for high on the No. 9s. The summary:

Clark's Branch
Piper 93 71 88-252
Smith 76 96 88-260
Paul 86 94 98-280

No. 9s
Philbrick 71 82 92-252
Petrasko 80 85 88-253
Clark 85 85 92-262

236 263 271 292

Greek A. C. Wins
The Greek A. C. team took three points in the game against the Gimlet Club at the Creek Alley, winning the total pin-fall by 19 pins. The second string was lost by two pins. For the Greek A. C. the high total was made by Bickley, getting a score of 313. On the Gimlet Club team Hefferan was high with 262. The summary:

Greek A. C.
McIntosh 83 91 91-265
T. Dwyer 92 71 70-233

257 1031 972 939

1088 1911

Harry Donnel—First Watch.
George E. Cox—Second Watch.
Charles E. Odiorne—Third Watch.
Charles B. Allen—Fourth Watch.
Albert Witham—Inside Sentinel.
Robert Vinn—Outside Sentinel.

On March 13 Strawberry Bank Encampment will entertain delegates from all lodges in this district, the occasion being the District School of Instruction. The second degree will be worked by Dover Encampment, and the work of the third degree will be done by the team from Rochester Encampment.

NEW WIRELESS SPEED RECORD
Chicago, Feb. 29.—A speed of 200 words a minute, was said to be a record for wireless transmission has been accomplished by the wireless station at the Great Lakes naval training school, North Chicago, it was announced today. This speed was obtained through the use of a transmitting relay there and a recently invented receiving machine at a private station.

At the annual meeting of Strawberry Bank Encampment, number 5, I. O. O. F., held at Odd Fellows Hall, Tuesday evening the installation of officers for ensuing year took place. Present A. Tucker, being seated Chief Patriarch. The other officers installed were: Daniel Schumann—Senior Warden. Walter H. Mason—High Priest. James M. Rugg—Scribe. J. H. Yenton—Secretary. George Whittemore—Guide.

here. Technical details of the machines are to be kept secret. It was said at the training school. Thirty words a minute previously has been considered a fast record, according to officials at the station.

U. S. ALLOWS TWO ARMED ITALIAN LINERS TO DEPART

Washington, Feb. 29.—The Italian liners Giuseppe Verdi and San Angiolo at New York, with mounted guns aboard, were ordered cleared today on

assurances from the Italian government that their armament was for defensive purposes only.

FUNERAL NOTICE

Funeral services of Kenneth Elliott Pomer will be held at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Pomer in Eliot, Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends invited.

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INITIAL BRANCH FOR NATIONAL ORGANIZATION

What may become one of the strongest national organizations among the colored citizens of the United States was begun in this city last evening when steps were taken to organize the Portsmouth Branch of the Lincoln American Union. The promoter and organizer is George M. King, A. B., of this city and his efforts have been in this direction for a number of years. In his opinion he now sees possibilities of his dream of years being realized and in this city at least, the organization is already as good as formerly organized.

The meeting was held in U. V. U. hall at the call of Mr. King and the Portsmouth unit of the organization was planned, with 22 members enrolled. Temporary officers were elected and at the next meeting they will submit a constitution and set of by-laws for adoption. The officers elected by the meeting are H. D. Burton, president; W. D. Blanks, vice president; Mrs. Florence Reed, secretary; and Simon Reed, treasurer.

The meeting opened with a short musical program and the reading of Lincoln's Gettysburg Address. This was followed by an able eulogy of the martyred President, Abraham Lincoln, presented by Mr. King. Following his eulogy he explained the object of the Lincoln American Union and the forming of the local branch was taken up at once. This branch is the initial unit of the proposed national organization and it is Mr. King's intention to form local branches throughout the country and allow these branches to unite into the national organization at some future time.

"With this system," Mr. King stated, "the national organization will not be a one man affair as many similar organizations are. Every local branch will be represented at the first meeting of the proposed national union and all will have an equal share in the work of foundation."

In speaking of the Lincoln American Union and its purposes Mr. King said that there were four divisions and stated them as follows:

1. The Lincoln American Union has been so designed that it may become the common representative of the masses of common people of African descent in America in all matters that are not purely personal, but in nature common to all.

2. Its purpose is to afford a common basis of unity which is at once simple, effective, and practical upon which all classes of Lincoln Americans may come together periodically—through their direct representatives—to decide upon all matters concerning their larger social and economic well being.

3. It plans the organization and maintenance of an indefinite number of local centers of Lincoln American Union influence which shall be self governed, but at the same time shall sustain such a relation to the central organization that its essential unity of purpose shall always be manifest. A local center shall be organized in every

community wherever there are as many as ten members of the Lincoln American Union.

4. Its program of industrial expansion is distinctive in that it plans to actively undertake to do what the race has been repeatedly advised was best it should do not only by its friends, but by the wisest and best among its own people. It shall actively participate in promoting organizing and financing industrial units, and in the training and employment of Lincoln Americans to fill all positions necessary to conduct the business procedure and operate these plants. If no other distinctive features of this organization had been conceived save this one alone, this is important enough to draw to the support of the Lincoln American Union. All Lincoln Americans, if the commercial and industrial plans of this movement prevail, this people must rise to the prominence of influential commercial and industrial factors in American industrial life.

Mr. King is a graduate of Dartmouth College but his degree of "M. C. S." has never been received, and until this work he now has undertaken to complete, his degree will not be obtained. He was born in the town of Halifax, N. C., July 24th 1874. His father died when he was seven years old. At ten he was taken to Portsmouth, Va., where he reached his majority. After attending a private school in Portsmouth for a while, he finally entered Norfolk Mission School, a Presbyterian Mission School of a little less than High School rank, finishing in its Class of 1895. Finished the Academic course of the Va. Union Unit, Richmond, Va., in Class '01, from the College department in Class '05. Was of the Dartmouth College Class '06 and of the Ames Tuck School of Administration and Finance Class '07. During 1908 and 1909 he pursued practical and technical cotton manufacturing in the Sacohead Mills, and the Bradford-Durfee Textile School respectively, of Fall River, Mass.

The Ames Tuck School is one of the Dartmouth group of graduate schools. Before it was founded, the American school of higher commercial training was a part of the usual college course with a larger number of electives in economic subjects. The Tuck School idea was to require at least three years of undergraduate college work as a foundation for the Tuck School super-structure. The fourth year college work is a kind of transition period between college work proper and the more technical Tuck School work. At the end of the fifth year, which is of full Tuck School work, "M. C. S." Master of Commercial Science degree is conferred. Mr. King has voluntarily chosen to submit the organization and incorporation of the Lincoln American Union to the Tuck School as his Master's degree thesis. Not, therefore, until this movement is incorporated does he wish his Master's degree to be conferred.

when it was reported she had been attacked and sunk by a submarine in the Mediterranean. After some days, during which Washington tried in vain to ascertain her whereabouts, she put in to Algiers and her captain denied any attack had been made.

SAYS WE BECOME CRANKS ON HOT WATER DRINKING

Hopes every man and woman adopts this splendid morning habit.

Why is man and woman half the time, feeling nervous, dependent, worried, some days headachy, dull and listless; some days really incapacitated by illness.

If we all would practice inside-bathing, what a gratifying change would take place. Instead of thousands of half-sick, anemic-looking souls with pasty, muddy complexions we should see crowds of happy, healthy, rosy-checked people everywhere. The reason is that the human system does not rid itself each day of all this waste which it accumulates under our present mode of living. For every ounce of food and drink taken into the system nearly an ounce of waste material must be carried out, else it ferments and forms poisonous-like poisons which are absorbed into the blood.

Just as necessary is it to clean the system from the furnace each day, before the fire will burn bright and hot, so we must each morning clear the inside organs of the previous day's accumulation of indigestible waste and body poisons. Men and women, whether sick or well, are advised to drink each morning before breakfast, a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it. It is a harmless means of washing out of the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels the indigestible material, waste, sour bile, and toxins; thus cleansing, sweetening and purifying the entire alimentary canal before putting more food into the stomach.

Millions of people who had their turn at constipation, bilious attacks, acid stomach, nervous days and sleepless nights have become real cranks about the morning inside bath. A quarter pound of limestone phosphate will not cost much at the drug store, but is sufficient to demonstrate to anyone its cleansing, sweetening and freshening effect upon the system.

WILL HANDLE ITS FREIGHT BY CONTRACT

B. & M. Makes New Move at Waterfront Terminals.

The Boston and Maine railroad in its operation of economy has closed a deal whereby several hundred freight handlers at the road's waterfront terminals will be employed under contract by Michael P. Donovan, who is also the stevedore of the Canada and France Steamship line. The contract is for two years but terminable sooner at option of parties. Boston and Maine waterfront freight has never before been handled through a contractor, although this has been the practice of the Boston and Maine for some time. People close to the management believe that the time is near at hand when the railroad will further extend this plan to the big freight stations of the company all along the line where a dozen or more men are employed.

RAISE SHIP BUT FAIL TO FIND BODY.

Boston, Feb. 29.—The fishing schooner Mary C. Santos, which was sunk off the fish pier in South Boston, Thursday, following a gasoline explosion, was raised today and work begun on pumping her out. Up to noon today the body of Lewis, the engineer, supposed to have been in the cabin, was not found. The schooner will be towed to a wharf in East Boston for examination and repair.

BELIEVED THAT ITALY MAY DECLARE WAR ON GERMANY

London, Feb. 29.—It was announced in the House of Commons today that the Italian Government had requisitioned thirty-four of the thirty-seven German steamers interned in Italian ports.

Great interest is being displayed here in the possibility of a declaration of war on Germany by Italy when the Italian Parliament opens. At the date of adjournment in December it was stated that Parliament would be convened March 1.

According to Rome despatches the Italian Government has not yet decided whether it will yield to the popular demand for a war with Germany. The Italian newspapers assert that the Italian cabinet council yesterday voted to make a declaration on the subject in Parliament only if the Government was pressed to do so.

Sees Disaster for Austrians

Rome, Feb. 29.—In an interview published by the Corriere Italia, Essad Pasha, the provisional president of Albania, who was recently transferred to Italian soil by an Italian torpedo boat, is quoted as saying: "The Austrian occupation of Albania is merely temporary and will undoubtedly result in political and military disaster. The Austrian troops are threatened by hostile tribesmen and exposed to the danger of having their retreat cut off by the Italian forces at Avlona. The turbulent Albanians will soon revolt against Austrian methods."

"The Adriatic is destined to become an Italian sea; an Italian victory over Austria is certain."

The Montenegrins and Serbians are deeply grateful for Italy's generous help, which saved them from utter destruction and has greatly increased Italian prestige.

Essad Pasha said he expected to return to Albania at an early date.

A semi-official statement says: "After our ships had silenced the enemy batteries and swept the coast and nearby roads by their fire, all the Italian troops which were sent temporarily to Durazzo, Albania, to cover the evacuation of the Serbians, Montenegrins and Albanians disembarked without incident and were transported to Avlona, notwithstanding the bad weather which still prevails in the lower Adriatic."

"War material which was still serviceable was also taken aboard the ships and the damaged supplies were either rendered useless or destroyed."

New German Drive East?

Petrograd, Feb. 29.—An announcement was made officially today that tremendous activity has been observed over the whole length of the German front in the east. There are various indications that spring will see another great effort by the Germans on the Russian Dnieper. During the forenoon one column, under the fire of the Italians, advanced across the northern isthmus to Poros, five miles north of Durazzo. Our troops advanced across the southern isthmus were hindered at the beginning by the Italian artillery, but towards night numerous detachments by wading, swimming and floating, reached the bridge east of Durazzo, driving back the Italian rear guards.

"At dawn an Austro-Hungarian battalion entered the burning town."

"On the Isonzo front there has been lively artillery fire and occasional important infantry engagements. At dawn, an Austro-Hungarian detachment from the Gorizia bridgehead garrison attacked by surprise the sleeping enemy near Pevma, killed in their trenches and brought back forty-five prisoners. After a heavy artillery preparation the enemy infantry advanced against our positions on both sides of Monte San Michele and east of Azzo."

TO CONTROL INTERSTATE SHIPMENT OF ADULTERATED EGGS.

Department of Agriculture Gives Notice That Shipments Containing More Than Five Percent of Bad Eggs Will be Regarded as Violating the Food and Drugs Act—Suggests That Country Shippers Candel Eggs Intended for Interstate Commerce.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 29.—The Department of Agriculture has had under consideration for some time the application of the Federal Food and Drugs Act to the shipment in interstate commerce of eggs in the shell, especially the two classes of eggs known in the trade as "current receipts" and as "rejects" from candling rooms. "Current receipts" contain at different seasons of the year varying proportions of eggs which are filthy, decomposed, or putrid. "Rejects" from candling rooms, as a rule, contain large proportions of eggs which are filthy, decomposed, or putrid, and very small proportions of eggs suitable for consumption.

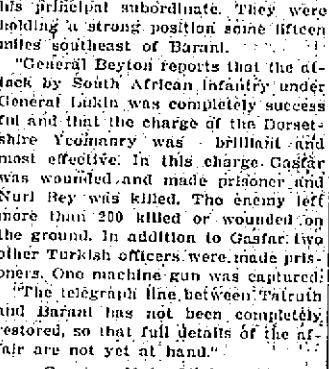
Under the Federal Food and Drugs Act, eggs, in common with other articles of food, are adulterated if they consist wholly or in part of a filthy, decomposed, or putrid substance. Section 2 of the Act prohibits the shipment in interstate commerce of foods which are adulterated and it is plain that this prohibition applies to the shipment in interstate commerce of "current receipts" or of "rejects" from violations of the Food and Drugs Act making

only if they are first denatured so as to render them incapable of being used for food. Since it is impracticable to denature eggs in the shell, adulterated shell eggs must be broken out and denatured prior to shipment. The views of the Department with respect to the regulation of adulterated eggs are stated in Regulatory Announcements No. 7, paragraph 13, and No. 12, opinion 102.

Best Liver and Bowel Laxative FOR FAMILY USE

"Cascarets" regulate women, men and children without injury.

Take when bilious, headachy, for colds, bad breath, sour stomach.



Instead of nasty harsh pills, salts, castor oil, or dangerous calomel, why don't you keep Cascarets handy in your home? Cascarets act on the liver and thirty feet of bowels so gently you don't realize you have taken a cathartic, but they act thoroughly and can be depended upon when a good liver and bowel cleansing is necessary—they move the bile and poison from the bowels without griping and sweeten the stomach. You eat one or two at night like candy and you wake up feeling fine, the headache, biliousness, bad breath, coated tongue, sour stomach, constipation, or bad cold disappears. Mothers should give Cascarets, sick, feverish or bilious children a whole Cascarets any time—they are harmless and safe for the little folks.

ANNUAL REPORT GIVEN OUT

What York Harbor and Beach Railroad Did During Past Year.

The annual report of the York Harbor and Beach railroad has just been issued from the office of the Maine Public Utilities Commission and is as follows:

The operating revenues for the past year were \$10,177.22, against \$13,617.12 for the preceding year, a decrease of \$3,439.90; railroad operating expenses, \$32,213.05, against \$13,615.32 for the preceding year, a decrease of \$11,422.27; net revenue from railway operations, \$7,964.17, against a deficit for the preceding year of \$38.30; freight revenue, \$16,704.86; passenger revenue, \$22,594.16; express revenue, \$1,240.15.

The railway operating expenses are divided as follows: Maintenance of way and structure, \$11,387.23; fuel expenses, \$353.51; transportation expenses, \$20,105.38; general expenses \$365.04.

Other items in the report are as follows: Revenue passengers carried, 190,080; revenue passenger miles, 538,127; passenger service train revenue, \$24,072.07; average revenue passenger mile, 13.07; average passenger revenue per mile, \$3.6511; average miles hauled of revenue freight, 6.07; average miles carried of revenue passengers, 4.81; revenue per ton of freight, \$7.0384; revenue per ton mile of freight, \$1.1539; revenue per passenger, \$1.1636; revenue per passenger mile, \$0.2527.

The investigation of the Department have shown that it is commercially practicable, by the method of candling, to eliminate from any given shipment most of the eggs of the kinds which the Department regards as adulterated. It is not the practice of the Department, however, to base proceedings under the Food and Drugs Act on shipments of eggs unless there are present larger percentages of bad eggs than are ordinarily present in recognized commercial grades of candled eggs. The Department is informed that cases of eggs are not allowed to receive even the lowest candled egg grades if the cases contain more than one and one-half dozen or a per cent of bad eggs. Country shippers who are not certain of the freshness of their eggs should candle them before shipping them in interstate commerce.

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McDOWELL PROGRAM FINELY PRESENTED AT NORTH CHAPLE

MISS ELIZABETH HUME OF AMES BURY ABLY ASSISTED BY PORTSMOUTH ARTISTS AT MUSICAL.

With a good attendance at the North Church Chapel Tuesday afternoon Miss Elizabeth Hume of Amesbury, Mass., presented a delightful talk on the general subject of the music composed by McDowell, taking as her specific subject, "A talk on the far reaching influence of the composer as a poet and a teacher." Miss Hume's talk was followed by a musical program composed entirely of McDowell's works, rendered as songs, piano and violin solos, vocal solos and quartet numbers.

In the musical program Miss Hume was ably assisted by Mrs. Hill, Mrs. Priest, Miss Northwick and Miss Whittier as members of the quartet; and with solo work, by Miss Beatrice Hartford, vocal soloist; Miss Doolittle and Miss Marion McIntire as piano soloists and accompanists and Miss Helen McIntire at the violin.

The afternoon was an invitation session and many lovers of good music took advantage of the opportunity offered by the Women's Guild of the North Church, under whose auspices the musical was presented.

Each of the numbers were finely rendered; the simple melodies and the more difficult compositions all being

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The Program

McDowell as Poet and Teacher
Miss Elizabeth Hume
SONGS
In the Woods, Miss Hill
Summer Song
Polk Song
Miss Susan Northwick
Miss Hume
PIANO
A Scotch Poem (after Heine)
Two Studies—The Shadow Dance; The Lullaby
From a Log Cabin
Miss Hume
QUARTET
Dance of the Gnomes
Cradle Song
Mrs. Hill, Miss Northwick, Miss Whittier, Mrs. Priest.
PIANO
The Witch's Dance
Miss Dorothy Doolittle
SONGS
Deserted
The Sea
Miss Beatrice Hartford
Miss Doolittle
VIOLIN
Long Ago
To a Wild Rose
Miss Helen McIntire
Miss Marion McIntire
SONGS
Cradle Song
"Thy Beaming Eyes"
Mrs. Mary Priest
Miss Doolittle
QUARTET
Summer Wind
Mrs. Hill, Miss Northwick, Miss Whittier, Mrs. Priest.
Miss Doolittle at the piano.

FELIX DIAZ TAKES SHIP FOR MEXICO.

Washington, Feb. 29.—Reports to the department of Justice said Gen. Felix Diaz, who hopes to start a new revolution in Mexico, left the United States Feb. 13, on a ship bound from Tampa, Florida, to Tlaxi, in the state of Vera Cruz, Mexico.

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cause headache, biliousness, constipation, impure blood and other unpleasant symptoms. If these troubles are neglected they weaken the body and open the way for serious illness. Many chronic diseases may be traced back to indigestion that could have been immediately

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ATLANTIC RAIDERS POSING AS NEUTRAL

New York, Feb. 29.—Wireless warnings that a German commerce raider, possibly accompanied by consorts, was attacking shipping in the Atlantic were received by the Standard Oil tanker Communiaw, which arrived here today from Algiers.

The first message was received Feb. 17 and was partially in code. It read: "ABME calling CAAW and reported being chased by a suspicious ship which she believes to be a German raider. Position WCH and WMX, Courgo west."

The Communiaw was some miles south of the Azores when this mes-

sage was received. At noon a second message, apparently from the same ship, arrived. It said: "Altered course to WFN and NNA."

The third and most significant message was received that evening. Its text was:

"German steamer is attacking shipping in the Atlantic and may be assisted by captured vessels which she named. Description: 6000 tons, speed 16 knots, combination freight and passenger steamer. Carries two guns and is posing as neutral."

The Communiaw was the centre of sensational rumors last December



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LANSING DENIES COMMENT ON NOTE

SAYS STATEMENTS IN TUESDAY'S PAPERS WERE NOT AUTHORIZED BY HIM.

Washington, Feb. 29.—Secretary Lansing today issued the following formal statement:

"In view of the publication this morning of what purports to be the view of the State Department on the communication received yesterday from the German ambassador, I wish to say that the contents of the communication have not been made public by me and that any statement as to the views of the State Department on the communication are absolutely unauthorized. I have made no comment and expressed no opinion in regard to the

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FOR PORTSMOUTH AND PORTSMOUTH'S INTERESTS

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Portsmouth, N. H., Wednesday, March 1, 1916.



Hands Off!

An effort is being made to have the federal government take a hand in the educational work of the country. A bill to "provide vocational education for the involuntary idle and the imperfectly and improperly employed" has been introduced in the national House by Representative Hughes of Georgia and has been favorably reported by the committee on education. Mr. Hughes says if the bill is enacted into law an opportunity will be provided for every boy and girl to become better equipped for his or her lifework, and men and women now at work will be able to increase their efficiency and earning power. Incidentally, if such a law goes into effect the government will have to provide for the payment of salaries to the teachers of agricultural and industrial subjects, and also for the training of teachers to give instruction on these subjects.

Mr. Hughes attempts to show that such a move on the part of the government would be a profitable investment. He says there are in the country more than 25,000,000 persons over 18 years of age who are working, and that if through vocational training their earnings could be augmented ten cents a day for each individual the increase would aggregate \$2,500,000 a day, or more than three-quarters of a billion dollars a year.

And yet this ambitious program will doubtless fail to convince the people that the question of education should not be left to the states. Each state is in a position to know its needs better than anybody else, and if they are failing in their educational work it is to be feared that the government will not be able to better matters by placing its hand to the task.

Educational advantages of all kinds are very plentiful in this country. Vocational training has become a part of the public school system in many places. The day schools are supplemented with evening schools, and there are colleges, polytechnic institutes and agricultural colleges without number to fit the young for the battle of life. It sometimes seems that if there is one danger greater than another facing the rising generation it is that of being "educated" to death.

There is no pressing need of any such step as is contemplated in this bill. The states are abundantly able to take care of their educational affairs and the government has enough else to attend to.

That the people of the country are highly nervous and suspicious at the present time was evidenced in Connecticut the other day when what was supposed to be a stick of dynamite was found under a railroad rail. It proved to be nothing but a stick of grease that had dropped from an engine, but for a short time there was a near-panic based on the belief that some one had tried to blow up a whole train. After all, it must be admitted that dynamiters have laid a solid foundation for suspicions of this kind.

At the present rate President Wilson will not even be considered a possibility at the Democratic convention. His foreign policy has already become an international joke. Just now he is trying to win the support of Congress, when up to the present time he has ordered Congress what to do.

Prodigious is the appetite of Americans for public pay. In Troy, N. Y., there are three vacancies in the police force, with sixty applicants for the places. And still the shout goes up that the pay of public servants is not what it ought to be.

Manchester is bound to keep in the limelight, and has some very clever press agents. This time the leading lady in a stock company has stabbed the villain. The result, a front page story in the New England papers.

Italy is about to declare war on Germany, according to the press dispatches. Where will the terrible slaughter end and will it finally reach America? is what everyone is asking themselves.

Mr. Burton of Ohio has announced his candidacy for the Republican nomination for president. There is plenty of good timber and some of it is gradually working its way out of the woods.

The Turk may be "unspeakable," but he has proved himself capable of doing a good stint in the sprinting line when sufficient pressure is brought to bear.

Your Uncle Hiram Noone is for harmony to the extent that he doesn't care who goes to the Democratic convention, and has himself withdrawn.

There is a growing suspicion that England has too firm a grip on directing American affairs.

WOULD INCREASE VETERANS' PENSIONS

Not Less Than \$20 a Month Proposed in House Bill.

Washington, March 1.—Pensions of not less than \$20 a month for all Union Civil war veterans, 70 years old, or more and eligible for the pension role, are proposed in a bill favorably reported to the house on Tuesday. The measure also would increase from \$12 to \$20 the pension of every widow who was the lawful wife of a soldier during his service in the Civil war, restore to their former pensionable status widows of Civil war soldiers dropped from the rolls because of their marriage to other persons and again widows or divorced on their own application, and amend by making the date 1905, the act of 1820 providing that women who married Civil war veterans after that date should not be entitled to pensions upon being widows. No official estimate of the amount the bill would add to pension appropriations has been made, but the total would be some millions of dollars.

PEOPLES' OPINION

MEMBER SAYS VETS ARE POLITICAL BODY.

Editor:—For sometime past I have been tempted to take a pen in hand and write you concerning the veteran firemen of this city, their work and their pay.

Needless to say, as you well know, the Franklin Pierce Veteran Firemen's Association is a political body founded for no other purpose than to see that this city secures the proper government by pledging themselves to certain candidates. This is an assured fact and the organization never backed a dead one, though several of their candidates lost through no other reason than money.

The veteran firemen are always ready to swing their political strength to any one who so welcomes it and proves he is capable of holding the sceptre.

As to equal suffrage, the organization is neither for or against. The members faithfully take the stand that home ties should not enter any economic.

On liquor, the vets are undivided. They also believe in high tariff.

Sufficient for the politics of the order and as to play, enjoyment is their one factor; they enjoy being with each other and in making the community happy.

Many times they have been attacked but each time smile at the "knockers" and keep making joy—pure unadulterated joy.

New would it not be best that all look upon life thus, enjoy all as the vets do—and believe like them.

Regardus take notice.

ONE OF THEM.

Portsmouth, N. H., Feb. 14, 1916.

DON'T WASTE THE MONEY

Kittery, Me., March 1, 1916.

The agitation over school house matters in this town of late is surprising, if not amusing, to the people. As a pioneer resident of the town and having served as a school committee member I credit myself with the knowledge of the situation just as it is and I want to say that both the Westworth and the Bennett schools are good enough for some years and far better than the schools of other towns (York) much larger than Kittery and far better situated financially than our town to meet the expense of new schools.

Where is the money coming from for either extensive repairs or new buildings? As it is plain to our taxpayers, there are departments now suffering for the lack of sufficient funds. It would be a good idea for some of our residents who want to plunge into more debt to think seriously of the financial condition of the town and when they are called to the town meeting don't go there and through lack of knowledge, vote recklessly on the knowledge, vote recklessly away the enough alone.

PIONEER RESIDENT.

UNITARIANS SECURE STAR ISLAND

Lewis Parkhurst, a Boston Publisher, Purchases the Property.

UNITARIANS—Star Island, one of the units of the picturesque Isles of Shoals group, off the New Hampshire coast, has been secured by outright purchase for its Unitarian devotees. The island has been bought by Lewis Parkhurst, of Whitehall, is estimated in the millions.

If you desire a paper that contains all of the live news of the day, both foreign and local, subscribe for The Portsmouth Herald.

CURRENT OPINION

Transportation of Commerce Is Closely Allied to the Nation's Development.

The president of the United States in his recent message to congress has recommended that a commission should be appointed to give a thorough investigation to all the problems that confront us in the field of transportation.

As I understand the purpose of this investigation, it is not to hold an inquest on what has happened in the past. If errors have been committed or injuries have been done, that is a question for the courts and not a question of legislation.

The real purpose to be accomplished by the investigation is to give an opportunity for all concerned—the farmer, the merchant, those directly engaged in transportation, the interstate commerce commission and the railroad managers—to appear before a committee of congress and state their views in reference to the solution of this great problem with the view in mind that in the counsel of many we shall find wisdom to guide our legislative course.

You may ask me, Why the need of an investigation at all? There may be those present who believe that the transportation companies of the United States are engaged in private business and that they should not be interfered with by government regulation.

To them I can only say that the transportation of the commerce of this country by the carriers is so closely allied to the healthy growth and the economic business development of the nation that its regulation was inevitable from the beginning.—It's Oscar W. Underwood, Senator from Alabama.

NEW HAMPSHIRE COLLEGE NOTES

New Hampshire College, Durham, N. H., Feb. 29.—W. H. Cowell, Athletic Director of New Hampshire College is making preparations for the basketball track season ever known here. There are to be 7 dual meets this spring. The first with Bates April 29 will be at Lewiston. The second, May 13 with Worcester Polytechnic Institute will be in Durham. The third, May 27 with Rhode Island State at Kingston, Rhode Island, and the fourth June 3 with the University of Vermont here.

Besides these dual intercollegiate meets, there will be on April 16 an inter-company meet in which the members of the several cadet regiment companies are to compete, and an inter-class meet on May 6, and May 20 the annual interscholastic meet will be held under the college supervision.

The New Hampshire team this year is to have unusually good coaching. Mr. Cowell has just appointed Mr. C. H. Cleveland of the Department of Entomology Head Coach. Mr. Cleveland was at one time Captain of the University of Wisconsin track team and after graduation was coach there in both track work and in cross-country running. Assisting Mr. Cleveland here will be Professor Karl W. Woodward of the Forestry Department, who was formerly captain of the Cornell cross-country team. A second assistant is Professor R. H. Porter, a former dash man from the University of Maine, who for a long time held the New England record for 100 yards.

Baseball practice will begin here March 13 in the Gymnasium, when Mr. Cowell will call out the battery candidates.

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cautionary measures are to be most economically taken.

Prof. O'Kane intends to go on foot from Wolancet over the mountains to Waterville; from there over the mountains to Lincoln, and from there over the mountains to Livermore, ascending Mt. Carrigan on the way. This peak is one of the most remote and most difficult of access of any in the White Mountains. From Livermore he will go over into the Swift River region and thence back to Wolancet. He estimates the trip will take about two weeks.

It will be impossible to take even a pack animal over some of the route and provisions will be carried by hand. Prof. K. W. Woodward of the forestry department will be another of the party, and E. C. Hirst, the state forester will make the trip, his engagements permit. The start from Wolancet will be made sometime in July.

Henry C. Morrison will give an illustrated lecture in the college gymnasium the evening of Tuesday March 7. His subject will be the high school and he will touch upon the advisability of establishing a high school here.

This subject is one which has often been considered here, as students of high school age no more sent to the school in Dover 6 miles away. In the afternoon at 8 o'clock Mr. Morrison is to meet the faculty of the college for a discussion with the members of some of the educational problems of the state.

REFUSES TO TAKE PASSENGERS

White Star Line Official Issues Notice to That Effect.

(Special to The Herald)

Boston, March 1.—Agents for the White Star Line have been instructed to book no passengers for the White Star liners Lapland, Baltic and Adriatic, which are due to sail from New York between March 8 and March 20. H. L. Mulligan, Boston agent for the line, stated Tuesday night that an order to book no passengers during the month had been received about a week ago. He would assign no definite reason for the order.

"Do you think that the German submarine campaign effective Wednesday has anything to do with the order?" he was asked.

"Absolutely nothing," was his reply. "It might be that they have some special cargoes for those trips and cannot handle passengers, but I don't know."

The notice advises agents to endeavor to persuade all persons seeking European passage to take passage on the boats of the American line, which is allied with the White Star. The company has thus far assigned no reason for the order.

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PLANTING SEEDS IN THE SKY

Mr. Manufacturer, if you were starting out to plant seeds you would not shoot them skywards hoping a few would light on the ground?

Of course not.

You would go direct to the ploughed fields and sow them carefully.

Catch the advertising thought? It's a very important one.

The newspaper carries the message direct to the ploughed field.

It reaches consumers and dealers immediately and response is rapid.

Manufacturers seeking the way to the ploughed field of profit are invited to write to the Bureau of Advertising, American Newspaper Publishers' Association, World Building, New York.

HEAVY BOMBARDMENT BY GERMANY

Three Aeroplanes Brought Down to Earth.

Berlin, March 1.—A heavy bombardment has been opened on the German position by the Allies at many points on the western front. At some points these bombardments grew into violent artillery duels. In the Woivre district the French tried to destroy German works with their artillery but were unsuccessful. Three aeroplanes, one British and two French have been shot down.

NAVY YARD NOTES

Vessel Movements.

The Caesar has arrived at Naples. The Cleveland at Corinto. The Cuirassier at New York. The Cuirassier at Guaymas. The Jacon at Lambert Point. The Marietta at Guantanamo. The Montana at Guacanayabo bay. The Tennessee at Hampton Roads. The Urmagham has sailed from Guantanamo for San Juan. The Castine from Port au Prince for Santo Domingo City. The Stewart from San Diego for San Pedro. The Barney, now at the naval academy has been ordered to proceed to the Philadelphia yard. The Cuirassier will leave New York about the 20th prox., for Guantanamo. The Urmagham now en route from San Francisco to Balboa, is towing the Maunee.

Naval Orders.

Jr. Lieut. H. J. Abbott, the Raleigh to command the Whipple. Jr. Lieut. R. B. Hammes to the receiving ship at Philadelphia. Jr. Lieut. P. D. Pryor, the Whipple, March 6 to the Raleigh. Ensign C. Whittiers, the Tennessee to the Montana. Paymaster E. E. Goodhue, to the receiving ship at Boston and commissary officer in charge of commissary store at yard, March 16. Gunner H. Semple, receiving ship at New York to the Maryland. Chief Machinist M. M. Schreiber, the Wisconsin to the Illinois. Paymaster Clerk H. L. Miller, the Nebraska to Boston naval hospital, sick.

Do Better When Have To The Electric Boat Company notified the navy department today that it reduced by about a year the time limit for construction of the two proposed 1600 ton fleet submarines. The time fixed by the company in its lowest bid for the contracts was 31 and 33 months respectively, and was declared unacceptable by Secretary Daniels. The question of awarding the contracts will be considered.

In Dry Dock The U. S. S. Washington was docked this forenoon and will likely be in the basin for nearly a month.

Taking Them On Ten mechanics were called today in the Industrial Department and several fringed mechanics were called back for duty.

Will Take Six Months The government has so far allowed one hundred working days on the Washington, but it is estimated that the necessary repairs will require at least six months.

Work Her Out Thursday The yard board will give the freight lighter a trial over the mile course on the river on Thursday and will also take a run outside under full power.

INTERESTING LECTURE AT ST. JOHN'S The women of St. John's parish and their friends have a rare opportunity offered them tomorrow (Thursday) afternoon in the lecture to be given under the auspices of the Woman's Auxiliary to the Board of Missions (St. John's Branch) by the Rev. Henry Dellinger of St. Peter's Church, Salem, Mass. This reverend gentleman has traveled widely in foreign lands and relates his experiences and tells of the peoples of other countries in a most entertaining and effective manner giving much information to his hearers and at the same time holding their intense interest throughout his talk.

There is, of course, no charge for hearing this talk on foreign lands, and no offering; every woman of the parish is not only welcome to attend but urged to do so and bring as many women friends with her as she wishes. The talk is to be given in the chapel on State street at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

A lazy liver leads to chronic dyspepsia and constipation—weakens the whole system. Don't's Regulets (25c) The management is preparing an upper box net mildly on the liver and usual program for the big crowd that is sure to attend.

The dancing element on the U. S. S. Washington will enjoy the first dance of their present stay at the annex, Freeman's block, Wednesday evening. The management is preparing an upper box net mildly on the liver and usual program for the big crowd that is sure to attend.

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GRANITE WORKERS MAY QUIT

Five Thousand Workers at Quincy Want More Pay.

Quincy, Mass., March 1.—Five thousand Quincy granite workers, will probably be out of work as the result of the failure of the manufacturers and employees to agree as to the hours and wages for the next year.

The agreement under which work has been carried on expired at four o'clock on Tuesday.

When it was learned that no new agreement had been signed, 700 workers including cutters, tool sharpeners and polishers filled Hibernian hall in Quincy last night to discuss the situation. After committee has reported failure, a motion was unanimously adopted offering the manufacturers a three-year agreement calling for \$1 per day. They also voted to demand a five-year agreement if this is refused.

The proposal of the manufacturers for a four-year agreement was turned down because the workers objected to having a settlement which terminates at the same time as that of the Barre, Vt., workers does.

DORMITORY NOW AN ARSENAL

Harvard Hall Used to Store 1050 Army Rifles.

Cambridge, Mass., March 1.—The basement of one of the Harvard freshman dormitories will be transformed into a miniature arsenal this week, when a shipment of 1050 rifles for the use of the Harvard regiment will arrive in Cambridge. A rule had been made that none of the members of the military organization may keep their rifles in their rooms, and a common storage place for the equipment has therefore become necessary. The basement of Smith hall has been chosen as the depot for the rifles.

THE CHANT OF LOVE

(Apology to Herr J.'s translator)

The current issue of the Harvard Illustrated Magazine contains a poem entitled "The Chant of Love," written by C. Huntington Jacobs, '16, which is a satire on the German "Hymn of Hate," written by Ernst Leisner. Jacobs is the same writer who was responsible for the poem published last spring at Harvard, "Don't hit Uns," which caused considerable comment in literary circles. The poem as printed in the Illustrated is as follows:

Dance and Bulgar they matter not; A smile for a smile, and a plot for a plot;

We love them not, they love us not; We hold stern power their heads above, We have but one and only love, We hate as one, we love as one— Turkey!

He is known full well, he is known full well; He rules the land of the Crimson Mood,

Rich in madness, in rage, in craft of hell, Cut off by torrents of Christian blood.

Come let us greet him hand to hand, An oath to offer unflinchingly grand, An oath which conscience shall never shake, An oath for our sons and their sons to take.

Come hear the word, repeat the word, Thru Kultur's citadels make it heard: We will never repent our love; We have all but a single love; We hate as one, we love as one, We have one friend and one alone— Turkey!

Take ye the robe of our God in pay, With Kultur from Krupp your ramparts lay; Trample their towns to a Belgian slough;

Ye are keen for the work, and we'll show you how! Dane and Bulgar they matter not; A smile for a smile, and a plot for a plot;

We have fettered their arms with quill and steel, And the scars of our lash are slow to heal.

But you will we love with a kindred love, We will never repent our love; Love in lying and treachery, Love in battle and butchery, Love of the clever and love of the crown,

Love of a nation to hell brought down! We hate as one, we love as one, We have one friend and one alone— Turkey!

TONIGHT

WILL YOU SELL

YOUR REAL ESTATE?

List your property early for
spring business at

TOBEY'S

Real Estate Agency

48 Congress St.

Telephone 135.

TEACHERS TO CONVENE HERE

Very Interesting Program Pre-
pared for Session at High
School on Friday.

An Institute for teachers in the elementary and secondary schools of the state will be held at the High School in this city on Friday, March 3. This session is held under the auspices of the New Hampshire Department of Public Instruction. There is expected to be a large attendance as the field of this institute comprises the following towns: Andover, Brentwood, Chester, Danville, Deerfield, East Kingston, Epping, Exeter, Fremont, Greenland, Hamstead, Hampton, Hampton Falls, Kensington, Kingston, Newmarket, Newfields, Newington, Newmarket, Newton, North Hampton, Nottingham, Plainfield, Portsmouth, Raymond, Rye, Sandown, Seabrook, South Hampton, Stratham.

The following will be the program:

- MORNING**
Elementary Session
8.00, Nature, Mr. George H. White-
car, Department of public instruction.
9.35, Handwriting, Mr. B. W. But-
terfield, Department of public instruction.
10.10, Spelling, Mr. L. de W. Record,
Supt. Somersworth-Newmarket dis-
trict.
10.15, Silent Reading, The State
Superintendent.
11.20, Free Period.
Secondary Session
9.00, Practical Commerce Work, Mr.
D. W. McLean, Headmaster, Berlin.
9.35, Underlying Principles of Mod-
ern Language Teaching, Mr. Walter
M. May, Headmaster, Lisbon.
10.10, What We Are Doing in Math-
ematics This Year, Mr. McLean.
Conference with Practical Arts
Teachers—Commerce, Manual Train-
ing, Domestic Arts, Agriculture, Mr.
Whitecar.
10.45, Class Demonstration, Mr.
May.
11.30, Free Period.
AFTERNOON
General Session
1.30, Business, Rockingham County
Association.
2.00, The Deformation of Educa-
tion, Mr. Butterfield.
2.35, Home Work and School Work,
The State Superintendent.
Frank T. Dunfield, principal of the
Portsmouth High School is president of
the Rockingham County Association.

Louis D. Boone of Newington is in
Manchester today attending a meeting
at which a New Hampshire Haystack
association will be formed composed
of the leading farmers and livestock
men of the state.

DAMON LODGE ROLL-CALL ON 45TH ANNIVERSARY

One of the most successful roll-
calls held by Damon Lodge, Number 9,
Knights of Pythias, occurred Tuesday
evening with over 100 members pre-
sent and visiting members from Con-
stitution Lodge of Kittery, Wentworth
Lodge of New Castle, Union Lodge of
North Hampton and Prospect Lodge of
Somersworth. Over 100 members an-
swered as their names were called and
more than thirty letters from absent
members from all parts of New Eng-
land were read; three of these being
from charter members of Damon
Lodge—Hiram B. Lord and Edward T.
Morrison of this city and Benjamin
Plummer of Sharon, Mass. One char-
ter member, Horace Mudge, was pre-
sent to answer to his name. These four
members are all that remain of those
who were present at the granting of the
charter.

Tuesday evening's roll-call marked
the 45th anniversary of the founding
of the organization in this city and the
principal event was the roll-call. This
was followed by an exhibition drill by
the third rank team, under Drill Mas-
ter, Harry H. Woods, the work being
excellently performed calling for much
merited and hearty applause from the
members and their guests.

A feature of the evening was the
reading of an interesting financial
statement by Past Grand Chancellor
Frank W. Knight, trustee of Damon
Lodge. Mr. Knight's statement gave

the financial standing and the member-
ship of the lodge at the various pe-
riods in its history: 10 years, 20 years,
30 years, 40 years, and the present 45
years. The figures were very gratify-
ing and pleasing to the members show-
ing the present membership to be 229
with \$8,000.00 in well invested funds.

Damon Lodge, as shown by the re-
cords, includes in its members many
of the principal business and profes-
sional men in the city and numbers in
its ranks six former Mayors of the city.

Following the evening work interest-
ing remarks were made by P. G. C.,
Frank W. Knight, P. C. Gustave Pey-
ser, Judge Ernest L. Guptill, ex-
mayor John S. Tilton, ex-mayor Dan-
iel W. Badger, John Varwood, George
E. Barsante, and T. Herbert Perkins.
A buffet lunch consisting of fried
clams, ham sandwiches, frankfurts,
rolls, assorted cake, ice cream, coffee
and cigars were served the guests and
members. During the evening vocal
and instrumental music was rendered
by the Pythian Orchestra and quartet.
The remainder of the evening was
passed at cards.

The roll call was one of the most
successful ever held by Damon Lodge
and the attendance of the older mem-
bers was very noticeable. The ar-
rangements were in charge of this
committee: C. C. Charles L. Browne;
V. C. George H. Dixon; P. C. Harry H.
Woods; P. C. Harry H. Woods, Rich-
ard S. Weston and Fred H. Heiser.

MILK HEARING TO BE HELD

Commerce Commission's Ex-
aminer Expected at Con-
cord Next Week.

Concord, March 1.—It is expected
that one of the hearings in connection
with the Interstate Commerce Invest-
igation of milk rates in New England
will take place in this city, probably
next week.

William T. Gunnison of the Public
Service Commission who has been in
attendance at the hearings in Bos-
ton, was here Tuesday and had a con-
ference with Commissioner Felker of
the department of agriculture and a
number of New Hampshire milk pro-
ducers. The result of the conference
was a decision to invite George W.
Brown, special examiner of the Inter-
state Commerce Commission now con-
ducting the Boston hearings to come
to this city for one day and give the
New Hampshire men an opportunity
to be heard. It is understood that the
invitation will be accepted, and as there
is every likelihood that this Boston
hearing will be completed this week, it
is supposed that the New Hampshire one
will be later than next week.

According to the original plan there
was to be a series of hearings at
Boston, but from all parts of New
England went men who desired to be
heard. Often they waited much longer
than they could afford to before get-
ting before the examiner, and in short,
the all New England idea didn't work
out very satisfactorily. Then it was
decided to have hearings elsewhere,
and Springfield, Mass., and Putnam,
Conn., have already been chosen as
meeting places. It is felt that if a ses-
sion can be arranged here, the New
Hampshire men will be in much bet-
ter situation to explain just the state
of things in this state with reference
to milk production and transportation.

Read the Want Ads.

FARM BUILDINGS DESTROYED

Home of Herbert W. Smith at
Newfields Burned With
Heavy Loss.

The farm buildings of Herbert W.
Smith, situated on the Epping road,
about four miles out of Newfields vil-
lage were entirely destroyed by fire
late Monday night. A large quantity
of hay, 100 bushels of potatoes and the
carcasses of two freshly killed hogs
were destroyed, but part of the house-
hold goods, the livestock, farming im-
plements and vehicles were removed
to places of safety by members of the
family and neighbors who were speedily
on the scene of the fire and gave
valuable aid.

From the outset there was not the
slightest chance for saving the build-
ings, there being no fire-fighting facil-
ities.

The buildings included a large, old-
fashioned house, arranged for two fam-
ilies, a large barn and the outbuild-
ings, all connected.

Mr. Smith, the owner is one of the
town's substantial and prominent men.
He represented the town in the 1912
session of the legislature.

TWO ALREADY AFTER BEAL'S PLACE

Governor May Move to Re-
tain Him in Office.

Representative Guy H. Hubbard of
Boscawen is being urged as a candi-
date for fish and game commissioner to
succeed Commissioner Frank J.
Beal, whose term expires on June 1.
Reports that Beal was not to be re-
appointed has stirred Hubbard's friends
to bring him forward and it is reported
that he has two members of the coun-
cil already enlisted in his favor.

The activity of the Hubbard sup-
porters was accentuated by reports that
Hillsborough county sportsmen
are lining up behind George A. Main-
fre of Milford, where he was formerly
postmaster. Vague reports of a pos-
sible Manchester candidate have also
drifted up this way.

A good many politicians believe
that the governor and council will re-
appoint Mr. Beal, although there are
said to be several petitions in process
of circulation in his behalf about the
state. It is seemingly authentic reports
are really correct, at least three of the
councillors are already tied up with
McIntire and Hubbard. The appoint-
ment is expected either at the April or
May meeting.

OBSEQUIES.

Lewis E. Osborne.

Funeral services of Mr. Lewis E.
Osborne were held at the home on the
Wallis Sands road, Rye, Tuesday after-
noon at 2 o'clock. Rev. Percy W. Cas-
well, pastor of the Court Street Bap-
tist church of this city, conducting the
services. The bearers were Mr. Henry
S. Rand, Mr. Charles W. Trefothen, Mr.
George Haines, Mr. Charles W. Lang,
Interment took place in Sagamore
cemetery in this city under the direc-
tion of Undertaker H. W. Nickerson.

George Lewis

The funeral of George Lewis was
held from the Court Street Christian
church at 2 p. m.; Rev. Germanos of

Ipswich, Mass., and Rev. Harinantas
of Manchester, N. H., conducting the
services. Relatives and friends from
Boston and Newburyport attended the
services. Interment was in South
cemetery in charge of Undertaker A.
T. Parker.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Clifford W. Bass is visiting
friends in Boston.

Charles A. Allen is a business vis-
itor in Boston today.

City Solicitor J. D. Waldron is pas-
sing the day in Boston.

Charles E. Woods made a business
trip to Exeter on Tuesday.

J. J. McAlpine of Boston is pass-
ing a few days in this city.

Thomas Conway of Manchester has
taken a position in this city.

Charles Osgood of Portland, Me.,
was a business visitor here yesterday.

Mrs. John Clawson of Kittery Point
visited Wednesday with friends in this
city.

R. W. Sturtevant of York Village
was a visitor in this city on Wednes-
day.

C. W. Bass and wife are soon to
occupy their new home on Rockland
street.

Miss Josephine Olson of the tele-
phone exchange, is passing the day
in Boston.

Mrs. Ola Porter of Elliot is on a
visit to Washington, D. C. and Holy-
oke, Mass.

James Ralston of Derry, N. H., is
the guest of relatives in this city for
a few days.

Miss Mary Minnehan of Cambridge,
Mass., is the guest of relatives on
Islington street.

Boin, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank L.
Smart of Howard street, Wednesday
morning a daughter.

Miss Olga Boyer has returned to her
studies at Keene Normal after pass-
ing a few days in this city.

Shirley Simpson of Phillips-Exeter
Academy is passing a few days at his
home in this city owing to illness.

Mrs. Harry Griggs of Washington
street has left for New York where
she will pass the month of March.

S. T. Dow of Kennebunk, assistant
treasurer of the Atlantic Shore railway
was in this city Wednesday on busi-
ness.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Marvin of New
Castle have returned home after a
trip to Syracuse and other New York
cities.

Miss Margaret Sullivan of Man-
chester was called here Tuesday to at-
tend the funeral of her cousin, Dennis
J. Brady.

Mrs. E. B. Eastman has been visit-
ing her sisters, Mrs. W. O. Junkins
and Mrs. Parker Hitchings of Brook-
line, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gameter of
Austin street are receiving congratula-
tions upon the birth of a daughter,
born Sunday.

Misses Marion and Kate Green of
Rye have returned to their studies at
the Keene Normal school after a
week's visit to their home.

Postoffice Inspector Casey is in this
city completing the arrangements for
the transfer of the local postmaster-
ship from J. P. Conner to John Dowd.

Miss Violet Pruett and Miss Harriet
Sullivan of the Portsmouth hospital
have returned from Boston where they
completed a special course at the Bos-
ton Dispensary.

A. A. Spiney of Hill street, former-
ly of Maplewood avenue, has re-
turned from a short stay in Appanow,
R. I., and will soon move there where
he will make his future home.

Doctors B. F. Staples, Samuel Grif-
fin, E. B. Dinsell, and B. L. Wright,
U. S. N., are the guests of the Massa-
chusetts Northeastern Dental associa-
tion which meet in Haverhill, Mass.,
today.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Langdon of
Lafayette road are rejoicing over the
birth of a daughter born Tuesday,
Feb. 29. The young miss is a Leap
Year baby, and therefore will have a
birthday only once in four years.

Mr. James Noseworthy, formerly of
this city, who has been employed in
a Concord, N. H., garage as machi-
nist for the past few months, has re-
signed his position there to accept a
more lucrative one in a Boston garage.

L. B. Koopman, District Deputy of
Modern Woodmen of America, of
Keene, this state, is passing several
weeks in this city in preparation of
installing a local lodge. Already he has
a large number of names on his char-
ter.

IS A PORTSMOUTH BOY

John W. Mawhey, attorney-at-law,
of Worcester, Mass., who was in town
yesterday settling the R. B. Phillips
Manufacturing Company claims, is a
Portsmouth boy and refers very pleas-
antly to a number of his old school
chums here, H. E. Boynton, Wash-
ington Stolt and others.

CHANGES MADE.

Several changes have been made in
the basement of the Central telephone
exchange on Vaughan street. The test
room has been moved to the rear and
other alterations made for the good of
the service.

COLORED RESIDENTS ORGANIZE

Branch of Lincoln-American
Union Formed at Meeting
Tuesday Evening.

At an enthusiastic meeting of the
colored residents of this city held on
Tuesday evening in U. V. U. hall, a
local branch of the Lincoln American
Union was formed, and the following
officers installed:

President, Hayward B. Burton; vice
president, Ernest A. Lee; treasurer,
Samuel A. Reed; secretary, Mrs. Flor-
ence Reed.

The Lincoln American Union is a
new movement toward Negro organ-
ization, and its objects are protective,
developmental and economic. One of
the purposes of the movement, it was
brought out at the meeting Tuesday
night, is to make it possible and easy
for Negroes everywhere to unite in the
development of an extensive program
of industrial expansion in which
many large industrial companies shall
be organized and operated, and in
which thousands may find lucrative
employment.

The representatives, looking after
the interests of the national organiza-
tion in this state are Haywood B.
Burton, deputy for Northern New
Hampshire and W. T. Paffio, deputy
for southern New Hampshire.

The promoter of the new movement
for the advancement of the colored
race is George M. King of this city,
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Woods gave him a brutal beating down
in New Orleans a few weeks ago, ac-
cording to the reports that have come
to the north. In other recent bouts,
Williams gave evidence of having lost
the skill and the punch that won the
title for him from Johnny Coulton.

While on the subject of waning and
lost popularity, the name of Conlio
Mack confronts us.

Once upon a time—and not so long
ago either—he was the baseball king
of Philadelphia. Had he announced his
endeavor for mayor he probably
would have been swept through with-
out the necessity of stump-speaking.
Throughout the length and breadth of
the land he was heralded as a genius.
His name was on every tongue; his
picture peered forth day after day
from a hundred papers; he was laud-
ed in poem and prose.

And now?

Mr. and Mrs. William Carr of the
Junction passed today in Lynn.

A rehearsal of the Catholic church
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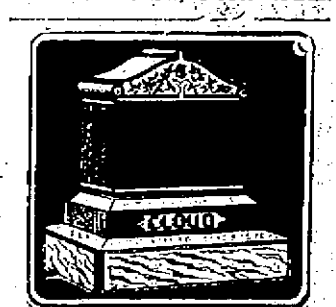
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EXETER RESTAURANT MAN DEAD

Was a Great Favorite With Phillips Academy Students.

Butler Walker, proprietor of the P. A. Cafe at Exeter, died at the Exeter Cottage hospital on Monday where he was taken last Thursday evening with an attack of pneumonia. He was about 42 years of age and came to Exeter at the opening of the school year last September to conduct the cafe in connection with the Exeter shop, conducted by T. A. D. Jones and Colonel Reginald C. Stevenson on Spring street.

Mr. Walker was born in Cambridge, Mass., and for many years conducted a cafe on Harvard square which was patronized by Harvard students, the coming of the Cambridge subway causing a removal of the stand. He attended the Harvard school at Cambridge and in early life entered upon a business career.

Survivors are a widow, his parents, a brother and two sisters all living in Cambridge. Mr. Walker was a great favorite with the academy students. The body will be shipped to Cambridge.

DRESS WARM AND KEEP FEET DRY

Tells Rheumatism Sufferers to Take Salts and Get Rid of Uric Acid.

Rheumatism is no respecter of age, sex, color or rank. If not the most dangerous of human afflictions, it is one of the most painful. Those subject to rheumatism should eat less meat, dress as warmly as possible, avoid undue exposure, and above all, drink lots of pure water.

Rheumatism is caused by uric acid which is generated in the bowels and absorbed into the blood. It is the function of the kidneys to filter this acid from the blood and cast it out in the urine; the pores of the skin are also a means of freeing the blood of this impurity. In damp and chilly cold weather the skin pores are closed, thus forcing the kidneys to do double work; they become weak and sluggish and fail to eliminate this uric acid which keeps accumulating and circulating through the system, eventually settling in the joints and muscles, causing stiffness, soreness and pain called rheumatism.

At the first twinges of rheumatism get from any pharmacy about four ounces of Jad Salts; put a tablespoonful in a glass of water and drink before breakfast each morning for a week. This is said to eliminate uric acid by stimulating the kidneys to normal action, thus ridding the blood of these impurities.

Jad Salts is inexpensive, harmless and made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia and is used with excellent results by thousands of folks who are subject to rheumatism. Here you have a pleasant effervescent lithia-water drink which overcomes uric acid and is beneficial to your kidneys as well.

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AT THE PRINCIPAL BOSTON THEATRES

"IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE."

8th and Last Week in Boston, Begins at Ye Wilbur Theatre Next Monday, March 6th.

It is generally conceded that Rol Compton Megrue and Walter Hackett's farce, "It Pays to Advertise," beginning its last week at Ye Wilbur Theatre next Monday, March 6th, is one of the best plays seen on the American stage in many seasons.

"It Pays to Advertise" presents the very essence of American spirit, American humor and American character. If you saw the piece translated into French, German or any other language, there would be no mistaking its origin, and certainly no more side-splitting farce has been concocted here.

As a matter of fact, "It Pays to Advertise" is one of those plays that provoke real hearty mirth. The sort that makes you throw your head back until it rests on the back of your chair and laugh to your heart's content.

It is a rarely amusing, well-written and well-acted play, and like all the best pieces of its kind, it is founded on an original idea, which we will not disclose for fear of spoiling the enjoyment of prospective patrons. It is enough to say that if you see "It Pays to Advertise" and don't laugh heartily, then you have for years, there's an obstruction in your disposition that the family doctor ought to know about.

Seeing "It Pays to Advertise" furnishes a buoyancy that finds expression in much hearty laughter, besides inspiring a determination to emulate the example of the young man in the play who, deciding to enter upon a business career, finds success through the medium of a publicity campaign that embraces love, printer's ink and the soap industry mixed in such admirable proportions as to make for continuous merriment throughout its presentation.

WILLIAM HODGE

Makes a Sensational Personal Triumph in "Mixing Sister" at Majestic Theatre, Boston—4th Week Begins March 6th.

William Hodge's latest vehicle, "Mixing Sister," which starts its fourth week of a pronounced success at the Majestic on Monday night next, March 6th, is the seventh notable portrayal of native American character roles that this popular favorite has presented to the American stage. In "Mixing Sister," as in his previous successes,—"The Road to Happiness" and "The Man From Home"—Hodge has achieved a triumph seldom experienced by actors who have made one decided hit. His signal success, "The Man From Home," which brought to Mr. Hodge such fame and fortune, was followed with another hit equally as delightful and brilliant, "The Road to Happiness," and now his portrayal of John Ollis, the "Man From Missouri" who "has to be shown," is filling the Majestic with capacity audiences, who are enjoying both him and his "comedy of cheerfulness" with uproarious laughter and enthusiastic applause. "Mixing Sister," from the unparalleled reception it has received during the short time it has been seen in Boston, bids fair to equal if not surpass the successes that Mr. Hodge has achieved in "The Man From Home" and "The Road to Happiness."

The fact is that Mr. Hodge stands alone in his peculiar line of parts. He has a unique personality that exactly fits the distinctly American types. One critic has declared that "he is American as the circus or baseball," and another has said that "upon Hodge has descended the mantle of Denham Thompson, Sol Smith Russell and James A. Horney." It was, in fact, under the latter that Mr. Hodge first appeared as a portrayal of American native character. As Freeman Willard in James A. Horney's "Sag Harbor," Hodge first reached his proper sphere as that eccentric village painter

and gossip. His next effort was the gawky and droll Stephen Tully, the boy "that threw the fits" in Edward Kilder's play "Sky Farm." The third was the part of that odd old Captain Plummer, in George Ade's "Peggy From Paris." Then came his Mr. Stubbins, that blubbery wife-hunter in "Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch," in which Midge Carr Cook was Mrs. Mrs. Wiggs, Mabel Tulliver was Mrs. Mrs. Wiggs, and Helen Lowell was Mrs. Mrs. Wiggs. After that came Hodge's Daniel Voorhees like in Booth Tarkington's "The Man From Home," in which creation he eventually advanced to be the foremost portrayal of American character parts now upon the American stage. Hodge's matinees are given on Wednesdays, when the best orchestra seats may be secured for one dollar.

LOU-TELLEGEN

Lou-Tellegen, America's most famous young romantic actor, who recently married Geraldine Farrar, the operatic star, will appear at the Shubert Theatre next Monday, March 6th, for a limited engagement in a new play by J. and L. DeLozier Macpherson, called "A King of Nowhere."

The new play represents Mr. Tellegen's return to the stage in the type of romantic vehicle in which he has unfailingly made his greatest successes, and in which he first came to this country with Sarah Bernhardt, whose leading man he was for three seasons in Paris and New York.

Playing opposite Mr. Tellegen is Miss Olive Tell, a graduate of the famous Moscow organizations, and said to be one of the most beautiful blondes on the American dramatic stage. Mr. Tellegen plays the part of Sir Cedric, a Celtic knight, who is imprisoned by order of Henry VIII.

Henry, tormented by the memories of his many murders, and bored to extinction by his sixth and current wife, hears that the Celtic knight is imprisoned and is determined to free him. He is different I know in Sweden and in Finland. But in Norway for one thousand years we have had no quarrel at all with Russia.

"We spend in Norway 10 million kroner in armaments. That is not very much money compared with the money spent by the Great Powers; but it is a good deal to us. Think what we could do with that money—the railroads we could build, telephones, roads, many, many things. We have to borrow money for our railroads. And we are forced to spend fifty million kroner on defense because the Great Powers have set us such a bad example. War is waste. War is in the way, always in the way of the human race. We can't get on because it is always there—war, or the shadow of war."

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GERMAN FLEET LAYING MINES IN BALTIC SEA

TERRITORY IS JUST OUTSIDE SWEDISH WATERS AND IS PROTECTED BY PATROL SHIPS.

Copenhagen, via London, Feb. 29.—The Aftenbladet reports that a large German flotilla is engaged in laying mines south of Falsterbo, but outside of Swedish territory, and that it is under the protection of 20 German patrol ships.

Falsterbo is a small seaport of Sweden, near its southern extremity, on the Baltic sea. A dispatch from London today stated that the Swedish steamship Knippla had struck a mine south of Falsterbo and had sunk.

NORWAY'S PREMIER PROTESTS AGAINST BRITISH BLOCKADE

London, March 1.—In an interview with an English correspondent cabled here from Christiania, the Norwegian Premier, Gunnar Knudsen, protests strongly at what he terms the unnecessary severity of the British blockade measures.

"We do not quarrel," he said to the correspondent, "with your blockade; but we certainly think that you have applied it, so far as we are concerned, with unnecessary severity. You do not seem either to have considered our feelings or to have realized our difficulties."

"We have suffered, suffered a good deal, and our feelings are certainly a little sore. Norway, you see, has felt the pinch of this war. Things are dear; nearly everything is dear—some things 60 per cent dearer. And while we have been struggling to do our little duty as a neutral—at great expense and with much labor—you have interfered with our legitimate trade and put us to much inconvenience. We do not question your right to blockade your enemies, but we think you have been too severe and unreasonable. In your methods towards neutrals and if you know the trouble we have taken, and are still taking, at our customs, very great trouble, night and day trouble, you would be well, a little more reasonable."

The correspondent inquired whether there was a feeling against Great Britain among the Norwegians because of the alliance with Russia.

"Some people may feel like that," replied the Prime Minister, "but it is not general, and it is not bitter or cynical, except here and there. For myself, I like the Russians. They are a very good-natured people. I have known in Russia. I have always felt that the Russian man—the man in the street—is a very kind, a very good-natured person. Certainly the Russian people are a noble and a great people. I do not express any opinion upon their form of government; that has nothing to do with me. But as a politician, I can say that while we have had our quarrels with Sweden, our quarrels with Denmark, and our quarrels with ourselves, if you please—with Great Britain for one thousand years we have lived as neighbors with Russia and never had one quarrel. It is different I know in Sweden and in Finland. But in Norway for one thousand years we have had no quarrel at all with Russia."

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TO LET—Three nice, large offices, well lighted and heated, Herald and Chronicle building. Enquire at this office. No 123, 1w

TO LET—Tenement of three rooms, \$8.00. Apply at this office. No 123, 1w

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FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Square piano, heavy carved legs; good condition; sell cheap if taken at once. Address this office. No 123, 1w

26-ACRE FARM FOR SALE. Nearly new house, good barn, lots of apple and small fruits; situated in Effingham, N. H., near Ossipee Lake. Reasonable price; terms if desired. E. L. Hopkins, Portsmouth, N. H.

FOR SALE—Twenty cords of dry hardwood. Joseph R. Holmes. Tel. 512W.

FOR SALE—Dry wood at Cook Farm, Kittery Jet, Me. Lowest prices, prompt delivery. Tel. 923W. No 123, 1w

FOUND

FOUND—A small sum of money on State street on Monday. Owner can have same by proving property, and paying for this advertisement. Inquire at office of Consolidation Coal Co. No 123, 1w

FOUND—A pair of gold bowled glasses. Finder may have same by proving property and paying for this ad. No 123, 1w

U. S. NAVY YARD FERRY

TIME TABLE

In Effect Oct. 1, 1915

Week Days
Navy Yard—7:50, 8:25, 9:15, 10:00, 10:30, 11:15, 11:40 a. m.; 12:00, 12:45, 1:05, 1:35, 2:15, 2:45, 3:20, 4:00, 4:25, 4:40, 5:00, 5:30, 6:00, 6:30, 7:20, 7:45, 8:10, 10:00, 10:30, 11:15 p. m.
Portsmouth—8:10, 8:45, 9:30, 10:15, 11:00, 11:30, 11:50 a. m.; 12:15, 12:50, 1:20, 1:50, 2:20, 2:50, 3:40, 4:10, 4:40, 5:10, 5:45, 6:10, 6:45, 7:30, 7:55, 8:20, 10:15, 11:00, 11:30 p. m.

Sundays and Holidays

Navy Yard—9:00, 10:00, 10:15, 11:00 a. m.; 12:15, 12:45, 1:30, 2:00, 2:10, 4:25, 6:15, 6:45, 6:50 p. m.
Portsmouth—9:30, 10:07, 11:00, 11:30 a. m.; 12:30, 1:10, 2:00, 2:05, 4:00, 5:05, 6:30, 6:10, 6:20 p. m.

Holidays

Navy Yard—7:30, 7:45, 8:15, 10:00, 10:30, 11:15 p. m.
Portsmouth—7:30, 7:45, 8:20, 10:15, 11:00, 11:30 p. m.

Additional Trips to Week Day Service for Saturdays.

From June 15th to Sept. 15th.
Navy Yard—7:35 instead of 7:50; 8:00 a. m.; 12:10 instead of 12:15 p. m.
Portsmouth—7:45 a. m.; 12:20 instead of 12:15 p. m.

NOTE—Enlisted men of the Navy and Marine Corps authorized to use the Yard Ferry may use it for all trips except those marked.

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WINTER SCHEDULE

In Effect Dec. 6, 1915.

Subject to change without notice.

Portsmouth Ferry Leaves Connective With Cars
For Eliot, Dover and South Berwick—6:55, 7:55 a. m. and every hour until 1:55 p. m. Then 10:55 a. m. Sunday.
First trip 7:55 a. m.

Runs to Kennard's Corner regularly and to Rosemary Junction when there are passengers.

For Kittery and Kittery Point—6:55, 7:55 a. m. and every half hour until 10:55 p. m. Sundays—First trip, 7:55 a. m.

For York Village, York Harbor, York Beach and Ogunquit, via P. K. & V. Division—7:55, 10:25 a. m. 12:25, 4:25 p. m. Sundays—7:55 a. m., 12:25 and 3:55 p. m.

Runs to York Beach only.

Runs to Ogunquit only.

Runs to York Harbor Postoffice Saturdays only.

ATLANTIC SHORE RAILWAY.

CEMETERY LOTS

CARED FOR AND TURFING DONE

With increased facilities the subscribers again are prepared to take charge of and keep in order such lots in any of the cemeteries of the city as they may be entrusted to their care. They will also give careful attention to the turfing and grading of them, also to the cleaning of monuments and headstones, and the removal of bodies. In addition to work at the cemeteries they will do turfing and grading in the city on short notice.

Cemetery lots for sale; also Lawn and Turf.

Orders left at residence, corner of Richards avenue and South street, or by mail with Oliver A. Ham, 54 Market street, will be given prompt attention.

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SUSSMAN'S DYE HOUSE
129 Pennington St. Tel. 103

MONTH-END SALE

THE D. F. BORTHWICK STORE

at this season offers all odd lots and remnants of merchandise

It will be remembered as an opportunity to buy at a low price materials and furnishings that will show a distinct saving to purchasers.

LOCAL DASHES

March winds have begun early. Fish of all kinds at Clark's Branch, Tel. 122.

Don't fail to see the tattooed woman at the Moose carnival.

Baked-bean supper, Universalist vestry, Thursday, March 2. Price 20c.

Upholstering; hair mattresses renovated. Margeson Bros. Tel. 570.

Mayflowers have been picked at Kittery Point as early as a week ago.

Although March came in as quiet as a lamb, there is plenty of time for it to roar.

Don't forget Girls' Club play Tuesday evening, Association Hall. Tickets, 25c and 35c.

Tuesday, Feb. 29th, the extra day this year, was observed in Portland as Prosperity Day.

Lobsters and fish of all kinds caught by our own boats, fresh every day. E. Jameson and Sons, Tel. 245.

The regular monthly meeting of the Y. M. C. A. Auxiliary will be held in the Association parlors Thursday afternoon at 3.30.

The fortune teller at the Moose Carnival will be a feature and her tent promises to be the centre of attraction.

It is a peculiar coincidence that the greater part of the babies born so far this year have been girls. Does Leap Year have anything to do with it?

Do your screens need brightening up? C. & M. enamel will make them look like new. Screen Black and Brush at the Matthews Hardware Store, opp.

Noting as you know it and motor-ing as the owner of an eight-cylinder Cadillac knows it are two distinct and different things. You will understand this when you take your first ride in the Cadillac "Eight."

Nixon, the handcuff king, will pay \$5 to the person furnishing a regulation handcuff that he cannot free himself from at the Moose carnival.

WOULD BE A CANDIDATE

Edward C. Moody of York After Senatorial Berth.

Edward C. Moody of York Village has announced himself a candidate for nomination for state senator from York county. Mr. Moody was a candidate two years ago in the Republican primaries and received the highest vote of any candidate who was not nominated. Because of this fact, he expresses the opinion that if his former supporters come to the polls and each brings a friend he will be nominated in which case he expects to be elected in September.

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Thirteen-Year-Old Winthrop Trefethen of Kittery Point Ran Away.

Winthrop Trefethen, the 13-year-old son of James Trefethen of Kittery Point has returned home after much wandering around, following his disappearance on Wednesday, February 22. Young Trefethen ran away from home on the above date, and although search was made for him, his whereabouts were not discovered until Friday of that week. He was found to be at the home of Mrs. R. J. Colby at York Beach, a former resident of Kittery Point. Upon request of the lad's father, Mrs. Colby's son placed the boy on an electric car bound for Kittery Point, but he disappeared again on the way. On Tuesday he returned home and upon questioning him it was learned that after disappearing from the trolley, he made his way to North Hampton where he visited relatives.

OBITUARY

Herbert S. Canney

Died Feb. 29th at his home in Rye, Herbert S. Canney, aged 42 years, 3 months, 4 days. He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Canney, a wife and son.

Funeral services will be held from his late home in Rye at 2 o'clock on Thursday afternoon and will be strictly private. Kindly omit flowers.

Arthur E. Randall

Died at the Portsmouth hospital, Feb. 29, Arthur Elvin Randall, aged 29 years.

Mrs. Clara Packard

Died in Boston, Mass., Feb. 28th. Mrs. Clara Packard formerly of Kittery. Funeral services will be held from Missa's chapel on Market street on Thursday afternoon at two o'clock. Friends invited.

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MAY GET A WASHING PLANT

Metal Expert Durning Will Ask Navy to Establish One at Navy Yard.

Thomas A. Durning, the navy expert on scrap metal who was instrumental in the establishment of the smelting plant at the navy yard, is working on another plan that will lead to a further saving to the government in the way of a washing plant which he will request the navy department to install at the Portsmouth yard. By the process which he recommends, all ashes from the foundries, sweepings, etc., will be washed and the metal segregated from the dirt by machinery. The plant when in operation would give employment to a half dozen or more men. Mr. Durning hopes to be successful in his appeal to the secretary of the navy to have him approve the recommendation.

JUDGE PUTNAM'S PORTRAIT ON EXHIBITION

Brother of Rear Admiral Edwin Putnam, U. S. N., Retired, of This City.

The portrait of Judge William L. Putnam, presiding judge of the U. S. Circuit Court of Appeals, and brother of Rear Admiral Edwin Putnam, U. S. N., retired, of this city, was removed from the circuit court room at the Federal building, Boston, Tuesday, and taken to the Boston Art Museum, where it will be placed on exhibition. The portrait was presented to the judge by a group of Boston attorneys on his 80th birthday last May, and was given a prominent place in the venerable judge's court room.

NEW MAN FOR BUTTON COMPANY

E. C. Batchelder of Laconia to Be Connected With Construction Work.

Edward C. Batchelder of Laconia, for several years connected with the Laconia Car Company as shop foreman, will shortly come to this city where he has accepted a position with the Morley Button Manufacturing Company. In concluding his duties with the car company, Mr. Batchelder was presented with a handsome gold watch and chain as a testimonial of the high esteem in which he is held by the employees. He will be associated with the local company in the interest of the new construction work, for which the company is now perfecting plans.

ROGERS MISSION CIRCLE TO PRESENT PLAY

Written Especially for the Society by Miss Mary S. Heffenger.

The Rogers Mission Circle of the North church will give a play entitled "Seeds and the Dark Gods," a story of child life in India, at the North chapel, Middle street, on Thursday afternoon at 1.20 and at 7.30 in the evening. The play, which promises to be a most interesting one was written especially for the Circle by Miss Mary Stearns Heffenger of this city.

GOOD RACING ON DOVER TRACK

There were two match races at Granite State park, Dover on Tuesday afternoon. The first race was a contest between the elegant gelding Cuyahurst, owned by Arthur U. Morrison of Dover and the black gelding Humpty, owned in Lawrence, Mass. The Lawrence horse won in straight heats, which were three at one quarter of a mile each. The first was for \$200. The second race was between the bay mare Sparrow, owned by Percy U. Littlefield of Rochester, and the big bay gelding, Williamson, owned by Bert Rogers of Somersworth. Sparrow also won in straight heats. Frank H. Boston acted as judge. A third race was arranged but failed to materialize.

RAILROAD HEADS ON INSPECTION TRIP

General Manager B. H. Pollock, Division Engineer C. L. Thornton, Chief Engineer Merrill, Superintendent of Motive Power C. H. Wiggin, and Division Superintendent John Bourke of the Boston and Maine railroad arrived here in a special car from Rochester on Tuesday and made an inspection of the local yard and other property. The party moved west on the 3.16 Boston messenger this morning.

SPECIMEN BALLOTS FOR PRIMARIES

Secretary of Hattie Edwin C. Bean sent copy to the printers of the off-

WILL NOT SET VERDICT ASIDE

Jury Award of \$1.00 for Frank L. Wood Will Stand.

Attorneys Emery and Hatch, representing Frank L. Woods appeared before Judge Kivel in the superior court today with a petition to set aside the verdict recently rendered by a jury in the case of Woods against the city. The case grew out of a defective sewer on Pleasant street in which Woods claimed his property was damaged to the extent of \$5,000 and asked that amount in his claim. The jury awarded the sum of \$1.00 and the attorneys claiming this insufficient appealed from the same.

TO SEND BODIES BACK TO SPAIN

Remains of Spanish Prisoners to Be Shipped From New York.

It is understood that the Spanish government has practically decided to remove the 31 bodies of the Spanish prisoners from Saucy's Island to Spain. The bodies will be disinterred and forwarded to New York where a Spanish transport will take them aboard. It is expected that the removal will be made within the next two weeks. The navy yard officials will likely receive the necessary instructions within a few days regarding the matter.

PARISH SOCIAL AT ST. JOHN'S

St. Lydia's Guild, of St. John's Parish cordially invites all members of the parish to a social to be held this evening (Wednesday) in the chapel on State street. The affair will be entirely informal and the pastor hopes all of his people over fourteen years of age will attend, thus giving him the opportunity to meet some of his parishioners socially with whom he has not yet really gotten acquainted. Light refreshments will be served during the evening.

WANTED—Two or three furnished rooms with heat and bath, for light housekeeping; desire location convenient to Navy Yard. William W. Hutton, Machinist, U. S. N., U. S. S. Washington, Navy Yard. he ml, it

COLONIAL THEATRE

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Today is the last chance to see this exceptional bill which has made such a hit.

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One of the finest one ring acts on the road with a kicking broncho which defies all riders.

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A live and snappy dancing and singing act.

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A comedy sketch which brings down the house, by Anderson and Evans.

PICTURES

"A DAUGHTER OF PENANCE" a two reel Bison feature.
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"READY FOR RENO" Comedy.
HEARST VITAGRAPH PICTORIAL.

Watch for our next program! Full of life and laughter. Four exceptional acts which are sure to please.

Prices: Matinee, 10c all seats, 5c to children. Evening 10c and 20c. Box seats down and upstairs may be reserved by phone in advance at 25c. Come early if you want a seat. A big crowd and a big show.

START WORK NEXT MONTH

Morley Button Company Perfecting Plans for Paper Plant.

The Morley Button Manufacturing Company is perfecting plans for the erection of the proposed paper mill on the Islington street property and the bids for the construction work will be completed some time this month. The company intends to commence the excavation on the site as soon as the frost leaves the ground and hopes to make a start by the first of April.

SMITH-CARR.

Popular Local Young Couple United in Marriage Tuesday.

The marriage of Miss Carolyn J. Carr, daughter of Robert C. Carr, to George Smith of this city, occurred on Tuesday noon at the home of the bride on Jones avenue. The ceremony was performed by Rev. C. LeV. Brine, rector of Christ church, in the presence of a few relatives and friends. The room in which the wedding took place was prettily decorated with evergreens and cut flowers. The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Imogene Carr. A definty wedding lunch was served following the ceremony. The young couple have many friends who wish them many years of happy married life and prosperity.

WANTS \$25,000 FROM TELEPHONE COMPANY

Everett L. Dye of Nashua, a line-man for the New England Telephone Company has brought suit against that company for \$25,000.

Dye fell from a pole last July on the Pine Hill road, and claims to have been seriously injured.

NOTICE--F. O. E.

All members of Mercedes Aerle, No. 652, Fraternal Order of Eagles, are requested to be present at the next regular meeting, Wednesday evening, March 1, at 8 o'clock, at the new hall, corner Daniel and Penhallow streets.

GEORGE W. SNOW, President.
RAPHAEL PAOLA, Secretary.

ENTERTAINMENT!

Wednesday Evening, March First AEOLIAN QUARTET

Mr. Ernest L. Cook, First Tenor
Mr. John W. Mitchell, Second Tenor
Mr. Freeman Caswell, Baritone
Mr. Ira A. Newick, Bass

Assisted by
Miss Anna Hamilton Remick, Reader.

Middle St. Baptist Chapel
Admission 25c.

AUCTION SALE

Wednesday, March 8th At 11 O'Clock A. M.

The House and Barn on the Seaman's Home Lot, corner of Daniel and Chapel streets.

Buildings to be removed by April 1, 1916.


Terms of sale, Cash.

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Pork Lard.....2 lbs. 25c
Salt Pork.....9 lbs. \$1.00
Large Salt Mackerel.....10c each
Large Cans Tuna Fish.....15c can



OVERCOAT

We shall continue our mark-down overcoat sale for a few days longer and for these last few days we've made special prices. If you are undecided whether or not to "buy ahead," a look through our showing of high-grade coats will convince you it would be the best of judgment to do so. Prices will mean nothing to you. To appreciate the bargains we offer you must see the garments.

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